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Cuban War Talk, a Failure on the Exchange and a Bank Suspension Have Adverse Influence on the Market.

Wall Street, Wednesday, Feb. 24. Public dispatches intlinating that the European powers had found a pacific solution for the Cretan problem were responsi ble for great strength in prices during the morning. The bulls bid up prices and the shorts covered stocks freely. The revival f the Cuban question in the United States Senate in an aggressive manner started a selling movement in the afternoon, and It quickly became evident that there was ut a limited market.

Prices broke more rapidly than they advanced, resulting in net declines for all of the active stocks, with the exception of Sugar, Tobacco and Leather preferred. Phe failure of a Stock Exchange member nd the suspension of a bank in Tounwania also had an adverse unfinence

There were some quiet reports that the combination was on the verge of \$1.462,000 in fron ore would have a very de- and higher.

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\$54,408 \$60,923 Dec. \$6,515 Railway gross earnings for the third week of February, compared with the same period of last year:

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In the complaint.

Dated New York. April 4th, 1808.

HENRY I. GOLDSMITH,
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To Joseph Kinchineky, defendant:
You will please take notice that the foregoing summons is served upon you pursuant to order made in this action by the Honorable Robert A Van Wyck, one of the Justices of the City Court of New York, on the 28th day of October, 1806 and filed with the summons and complaint of this court.